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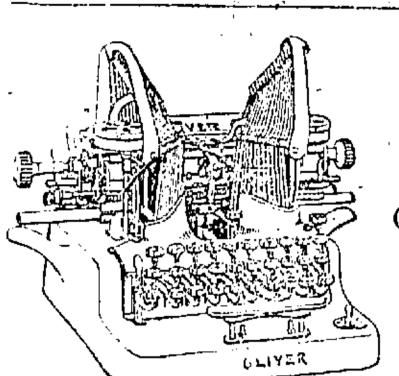
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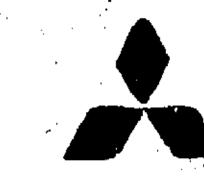
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The coming of Lord Li is in many ways one of the most significant acts that the Imperial Government of China has committed for some time. It testifies at once to the awakening of the ancient Empire which, if it continues to arouse itself at its present rate of progress, will have become a different Empire in ten years' time. China, today, stands where Japan stood hirty years ago, but there are indications that reformation in China will be even more rapid than that which distinguished the modern evolution of Japan. The most pronounced trait of the present state lies in the willingness of the Imperial Government to send representative types of the younger generation to America and to Europe cenerally for education. It has always b en a practice to maintain a few students in Europe, but their subsequent careers have been generally concerned with the requirements of the Chinese Foreign has been admitted a PARTNER Office. Under the new order no fewer than 150 students are coming to Great Britain, this large body of young men liv-83 ing in England under the direct supervision of the Chinese Legation. At present the students have been selected from the sons of the high official classes, but the idea is

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pany will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES



NOTICE.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY Victoria Buildings, on TUESDAY, the have submitted to the Government revised 28th January, 1908; at 11.15 A.M., for the plans shewing the route of the proposed new Tramway from the Queen's Road and of BATTERY PATH, VIA GLENEALY VALLEY to the PEAR. The route now proposed cuts ber, 1907. the lower part of the North-eastern edge of the Public Gardens and then passing on Company will be CLOSED from TUES trestles along their Western extremity, and within 100 yards of the Roman Catholic 28th January (both days inclusive), during Cathedral crosses Robinson Road about 30, which period no Transfer of Shares can be yards to the East of its junction with registered. Conduit Road. Continuing upwards it passes within 120 yards of Inland Lot No. 1668 and adjoins the Peak Road opposite

Inland Lot No. 1146, keeping after that to the Eastern slope of Victoria Peak. Owners of adjacent property and the general public who may be interested in the effect of the Tramway upon the Public Gardens can inspect the plane and drawings at the Offices of the Director of Public Works for a period of one month from this date between the hours of 10 A.M. and ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the

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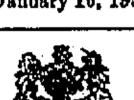
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ING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Com- 103 Victoria Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 28th January, 1908, at 12 o'clock Noon; A for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st Decem-

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 17th January, to TUESDAY, the 28th January, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be By Order of the Board of Directors. A. SHELTON HOOPER.

Hongkong, January 10, 1908.

LIMITED. NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTIETH ORDINARY MEET ING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 28th January, 1908, at 11.30 o'clock A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLUSED from SATURDAY. the 25th January, until WEDNESDAY, the 29th January, 1908, both days inclu-SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

General Managers. Hougkong, January 16, 1908.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED, from 25th January to 15h February, both days inclusive.

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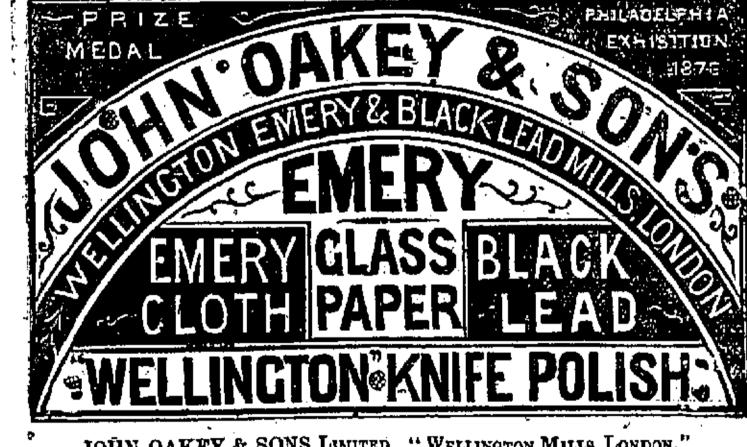
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the British representative in Ka hgar The new Minister, therefore, has a peculiar right to his appointment. Apropos of Li Hung Chang's godson, Mr George Mucartney, this gentleman is the most accomplished linguist in the service of the Indian Government, and speaks, with absolute fluency, Chinese, French, German, English, Russian, Hindustani, and Persian, besides numerous Central Asian dialects. The new Minister has not yet met his cousin of Kashgar, but one day during the coming spring there will be an interesting reunion in Portland-place, since Mr George Macartney will soon be homeward bound. NATIVE DRESS TO BE RETAINED. Li Ching Fong is a man of middle age, of medium height, and not quite so stout as is usually the case with Southern'Chinese gentlemen. In appearance a typical Colestial, he invariably wears Chinese costume, including the queue. Similarly. he favours the long tapering finger nails of the Chinese upper classes. In other respects, however, his disposition and character offer no point of resemblance to the ordinary Chinese official. He eschews both garlie and opium, and his temperament strikes a note of modernity. Ho is widely read in European literature, well versed in Western sciences, and even ablé to appreciate Occidental music! At the same time, although the Minister may be imbued with a new spirit, there will be no change in the character of the Chinese Legation. .. Thus, when entertaining, his Excellency will wear the usual beautiful rolles of Chinese officials, ornamented on the back and chest with the large figures of embroidered aways that denote the difference between civil and military rank.

Among officers of the Chinese Army and

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place of the swans. Li Ching Fong, how-

ever, is a civilian official of the highest

rank, and wears decorations of the first

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CHINESE DISHES. To the Western palate these dainties may not appear very appetising, particularly the sea slug, which is usually served in its own liquor in thin quivering slices. The flavour of the Chinese sea slug possesses something of the piquancy of the small and the richness of the turtle. It is a puzzling, disquieting dish, unusually oily, black, but occasionally of mottled line, and by reason of its source unpleasantly salt. From the point of view of the Chinese, these dishes are essential to any table where expense is disregarded. The other dishes are more curious than disgusting, but their appearance on the table will depend upon the social standing of the guests invited.

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SATURDAY, January 25:-Noon-Auction of Household Furniture, . &c , at No. 10, Pedder's Street. 9 p.m.—Concert at City Hall. Transfer Books of The China-Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ld., close from this date to 29th Jan., inclusive. Transfer Books of Humphreys' Estate & Finance Co., Ld., close from this date

Monday, January 27 :--3 p.m.-Auction of Crown Land at the Public Works Department's Offices. Goods per Oceanien unclaimed after this date at Noon will be subject to rent and landing charges.

to 16th February, inclusive.

11.15 a.m. - Meeting of The Hongkong Land Reclamation Co., Ld., at Co.'s 11.30 a.m.-Meeting of The West Point Building Co., Ld., at Co.'s Office. Noon-Meeting of The Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ld., at Co.'s Offices.

TUESDAY, January 28 :-

Noon-Auction of Houses and Land at date subject to rent. WEDNESDAY, January 29:-

11.30 a.m. - Meeting of China Provident Thursday, January 30:—
5.30 p.m.—Annual Meeting of Hongkong
Benevolent Society at City Hall.

FRIDAY, January 31:-Noon-Meeting of Humphreys' Estate &

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HONGRONG, TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1908

"POOR JACK."

Mr W. Clark Russell, who has done for the Mercantile Marine what Captain Marryat did for the Royal Navy, has issued an appeal on behalf of the Royal Alfred There is no more deserving charitable institution in existence. The greatness of the Empire was gained and will be sustained by her scamen, and as much provided for merchant seamen execrably bad. The wages paid were so low that it was impossible for them to save. When the merchant sailor became too old to follow the sea-faring calling any longer his position was indeed In Mr Clark Russell's words: The sailor steps on shore, an old man. Nobody wants him! He has devoted the ling diphtheria germ. When Chamberlain's manhood of his life to fetching and bring- the cold and lessens the danger of diphing for a nation that must be fed and

mercy in the ocean rescue?" But it is not in the nature of the British people to allow these poor servants of the Empire-the expression is in no sense misroadside. In 1867, the Home for Aged Goods per America Maru undelivered Sailors was established and since then 2,300 of these unfortunates have been permanchily relieved. In addition to this monetary assistance has been given to hundreds of men who could not be housed in the Home. As a rule we are strong advocates of the theory that chari- Australia. She carries a number of ty should begin at home. Local residents Goods por Austria undelivered after this have many calls on their purses and it Goods per Nippon undelivered after this must be said in their honour that they nobly respond to the demands made upon them. In fact we doubt, if a comparison could be made, whether any other community answers the call of charity more generously than that of Hongkong. Still, though we still maintain that local institutions should be our first care, we consider that the Royal Alfred Home has a distinct claim tpon us. As the greatest shipping port in the world we can hardly disregard the appeal to help those who contributed to place us in that position of proud pre-eminence. Holding this view we feel that we will not be taunted with inconsistency if we make public the fact that this institution is in great Messrs Hughes & Hough's Sales want of funds to carry on its work of Goods per Siberia undelivered after this love and duty, Let Mr Clark Russell speak for himself:—"This is the Aged | arrest has been made. British Merchant Sailor's appeal to the Loan & Mortgage Co., Ld., at Co.'s country of his birth, to the people for whom he has toiled. Who will help him? or rather, who will refuse him? Not the shipowners who have builded up their magnificent industry by his Finance Co., Ld., at Co.'s Registered help. Not the student of the ocean traditions of these Islands. Not those who have fathers, brothers, sons at sea. Not those who, seated by the 'Christmas fireside, reflect upon the perils of the deep, upon the hardships of the life, upon the essentiality of the sailor's duty if our commerce is to be continued and our millions to be fed. Lifting his trembling hand to his brow and speaking in a voice broken by time and years few of whom did not attend. of bawling in gales of wind, poor old Jack says! "Gentlemen of Britain and likewise all you ladies, if you will send

Once again the scientists. They come forward now with a new explanation of the cause which led to the decadence of Macedonian who overthrew the "glory duties of acting Consul. that was Greece"—it was malaria! This statement is actually made in a little volume entitled "Malaria" which has recently been issued. To quote:-'Malaria was certainly prevalent in many parts of Greece, including Attica, during the fourth century B.C., though Greece was not 'highly infected' in the technical sense of the words, as used be made for the carriage by Sir Patrick Manson. The evidence of language and the fact that older themselves noticed the effect of malaria selves capably and to the great pleasure of the Company's three mines for the week upon character. The change which of the audience. Encores were fregradually came over the Greek charac- quent. The programme was as follows: credit is due to our merchant sailors as ter from 400 B.C. onward was one Orchestra, Marcha Tanhauser, Sociodade to our gallant blue-jackets. Until quite which would certainly have been aided, Philarmonica, Canto, "Last Watch," Sar. recently the accommodation and food and was, in all probability, at least F. X. Lopes; Intermezzo, Love's Dream partially caused, by the same disease.

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happy dreams."

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HOW DIPHTHERIA IS CONTRACTED developed into diphtheria, when the truth was that the cold had simply left the little (b) La Palomita, Orchestra "Lyra," Canto, one particularly susteptible to the wander-Cough Remedy is given it quickly cures theris or my other germ disease being contracted. For sale by all chemists and storewhose commerce grows. What home keepers.

L CAL AND COAST NEWS.

Mercantilo business has shown much improvement in Yokohama since the New The construction of the Russian war-

ship Rurik at Barrow has been completed. She will shortly undergo her trials.

number of passengers and a carge of hem; A disastrous fire broke out in the applied-to die of starvation by the Hondo coal mine on the 8th instant and preparations were at once made to close he mine.

trip from Manila. She brought over

Sir Clifton and Lady Robinson arrived to-day by the Siberia. Sir Clifton h been investigating the prospects for electric undertakings in Japan. The Nikke Maru (Capt. Harrison)

passengers, and brought here 331 tons of general cargo. Sentence of death was passed upon the woman Lam Kui at the Criminal Sessions yesterday afternoon. She was

a man with whom she was living. The Peking Government has taken notice of the Unrest in Cheking and has mobilized 10,000 men of the new army stationed at Nanyen and Peiyen and they will be sent to Cheking by steamers.

found guilty of murdering Cheung Fuk,

The E. and Arsteamer Empire (Captain Helms) experienced fine weather on her way down from Japan, though she met with occasional fogs. She is on her way to Australia with a general cargo and passengers, and made this port to-day.

The ex-Captain Superintendent of the Canton Police, who has been charged with embezzling g vernment funds to the has been suppressed, and order for his medicine, administered it and thus saved

Evidence of the disturbed condition of Korea appears in news which has reached Kunsan, to the effect that a Japanese boat Korean robbers on the Chull-ju River. preparation is being made among which is Three of the boatmen were injured and the installation of wireless telegraphy on robbed of money and other articles. De tachments of police were at once sent the scene of the outrage.

On the 18th instant, Mr Tsen Shu Shan, Interpreter to the American Conoccupation of the palacious residence at Fung Yuen Street, purchased by him recently. The building is one of the land marks of the Western Suburb of the City, and must have cost its proud possessor not an inconsiderable sum of money. Invitations were sent to numerous friends, very

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The death is reported of Mr J. M. James which took place in the Yokohama General

Prince Fushimi, who is at present in the Street, E.C., my prayer, until death re- Colony, on the way to England, was a guest leases me, will be, 'May God love their at Government House to-day.'

> Mr. Mrs and Misses Fluno arrived to-day by the Siberia. Mr Fluno delivers lecture on Christian Science on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. B. Twyman, late Vice-Consul and

It is reported from Rome that while King Victor was on his way to visit the monument of the late King Humbert his carriage was surrounded by a crowd of stone-breakers and other labourers who them with food and work. The police 23rd Jan., 1908 (weather permitting.) with the labourers before a passage could

A most successful concert was held last | Song people were frequently attacked, sug- night in the Hall of Camoes at the Club Selection The Gondoliers'.. Sullivan Two Step Iona Doughs gest that the disease had been but Lusitano, and the Sociedade Philarmonica recently introduced [by the armies re who promoted it deserve warm conturning from Asia]. The Greeks gratulation upon the success schieved. The various performers acquitted themafter the ball, Orchestra "Lyra," Canto. Adagio e Valzer cantabile, Snra. D. Edith Carvalho; Solo de Violino, "Madrigale," Snra. D. Cecilia Ribeiro; Solo de Piano, tranquillity is not making satisfactory of the provisions of these byelaws shall be Rondo Capricioso, Sura. D. Sara Alves; progress. Orchestra, (Fantasia) "Faust," Sociedade Philarmonica; Orchestra, Overtura Ruy Blas," Sociedade Philarmonica; Canto, ONE often bears the expression. My Mia Piccorella, Sura. D. Angela R. Do loan, but the amount has not yet been Mr Lau Chu Pak protested against the

Violencollo, "Au Printomps," Sur. F.

Gonsalez; Trio, "Silver Bells," D.

Eugenia Aquino, D. Maria Ribeiro and D.

Cecilia Ribeiro; Orchestra, (Symphonia)

" Aroldo." Sociedade Philarmónica.

REFUGE FOR GIRLS.

The annual meeting of Miss Eyre's Refuge for Girls was held at St. Paul's College yesterday under the Presidency of Lady Lugard, and in the presence of the Bishop of Victoria and many ladies.

In a most cordial address Bishop Lander proposed that the institution be made part of the Diocesan organisation by forming it The Zafiro (Capt. Redger) had a fine into a Diocesan Refuge. His Lordship announced that ir Frederick and Lady struction of the Hongkong-Canton Railway Lugard would willingly become patron and

Miss Eyre having described the work of the Home, Lady Lugard delivered a sympathetic speech, and ultimately the following committee was appointed: President, His Lordship Bishop Lunder; Vice-President, Mrs Stokes; Secretary, Miss Eyre; Trensurer, Miss Pitts; Committee, Mrs Atkinson, Mrs Banister, Lady Berkeley, Mrs Browin, Mrs Bunbury, Mrs France, Miss S. Fletcher, Mrs May, Mrs Peter, Mrs Pollock, Mrs Rennie, Dr

arrived this morning on her way to Sibree, Mrs Tooker and Mrs Turner, Lady Lugard announced that now the institution had been placed on a permanent footing the Government would be able to help, but only to the extent of a s

> THE WEST RIVER PATROL. An Earnest Agitator.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, January 20. The Fatshan reporter for the Canton Daily News is disposed to ridicule his fel ow townsmen. He says that the gentry of Fatshau are not worthy to be compared with an ignorant old countryman whom he saw a day or so ago. Whereas the Fatshan gentry let all the discussion concerning patrolling the West River go on without saying a word, the old man in question gathered a crowd around him and exhorted them with words of earnest enthusiasm not to agree to their waterways being patrolled by British vessels. Tears streamed extent of some four thousand taels and from the old man's eyes and he finally who has been denounced to the Throne for fainted from the g out effort that he made dismissal, has absconded. By order of the to impress his hearers. The report says Peking Government, the man's official rank | that he himself purchased a dose of native the old man's life. CHINESE EFFORTS.

With the withdrawl of t' e British flotilla, Admiral Li Chun is busily engaged in the work of endeavouring to guard the waterloaded with rice was recently attacked by ways of the East and West Rivers. Every his fleet. He has given orders to a Hongkong firm for the construction of four other of uttering a forged bank note, and on a vessels with wireless telegraphy installation on board, and at present an electrical sion of a forged bank note. Prisoner engineering party is travelling up the river with a view to building the receiving stations. It is stated that the Imperial R. Sutherland, A. D. Gallaway, J. E. sulate General at Canton, gave a banquet Chinese Telegraph Stations at the various Danielson, B. Anguard, A. Jenkins and Ho with wireless telegraph. According to W. Rees Davies, instructed by Mr. G. E. reports the policing of the West river will be properly carried out within the next three months.

CANTÓN LEPER FUND.

Sympathizers, collected by Mr George Ng Fuk Shang, \$112.00.

N. Y. K. s.s. Colombo Maru at Kobe in was in police custody, and went to the the evening of the 8th instant, but it was station to bail her out. As she was nut out during the night and no damage required to produce \$25 she returnwas done to the cargo.

stitutional government.

Consul at Pakhoi, has been transferred to bank will make an alteration in its business its operations in Hankow.

By kind permission of Lt.-Col: Price and Officers the Band of the 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis will play the following programme of music, at the King demanded that His Majesty should provide Edward Hotel, during dinner on Thursday.

Overture...... Le Macon Valse Espana Waldteufel ... 'Rem.' of Tosti ' ... Pougher ... Husheen '..... Needham GOD SAVE THE RING.

Co., Ld. announces that the total output, of separate portions of such building, ending January 4, 1908, amounted 21,276.06 tons and the sales during the same period to 16,943.84 tons.

the papers state that normal conditions are museum or Government building or combeing steadily restored in industrial circles, pound, except in a backyard, lavatory, and the markets are becoming brisker, latrine, urinal or other place specially Official returns which have been issued, provided for the purpose. however, indicate that the restoration of [(3) Any person who shall contravene any

child caught a severe cold which Selavisa Alves, Marcha (a) David, Bolero made public. There is much public comment on the proposal, which is regarded as | class Chinese; the better class disliked the a harbinger of another Imperial loan. In | habit and did not indulge in random spit-"Nirvana," Snr. F. X. Lopes; Solo de some quarters the German Government is ting. severely condemned because a new loan is contemplated, although large issues of Exchequer Bills have recently been made. This is considered to show that the Governnot paying due attention to the future.

THE RAILWAY.

A Vote for the Work,

At the Legislative Council meeting on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. the Colonial Secretary will move: It is hereby resolved that a sum of Four million two hundred and fifty thousand Dollars (\$4,250,000) be advanced out of funds in the custody of the Government for the purpose of con-(British Section) during the year 1908.

NEW BILLS.

At the Legislative Council meeting on Thursday the Orders of the day will be: First reading of a Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend the Chinese Emigration Ordinance, 1889,

First reading of a Bill entitled An Ordinance to facilitate the admission in evidence of statutes passed by the Legislature of British possessions and British

protectorates, including Cyprus. First reading of a Bill entitled An Ordinance to authorize the removal of Fire Insurance Companies from the Register of

Companies in certain cases. Second reading of the Bill entitled Am Ordinance to amend the Fire Brigade Ordinance, 1808.

THE AMATEUR PARLIAMENT.

The Literary and Parliamentary Debating Society met last night at the Y.M.C.A., when there were 23 members present, and the membership was increased to 52. In the discussion on improving our trade relations with China, a question to which no loss than 16 members spoke, especial stress was laid on the possibilties of the New Territory as a producing and manufacturing district, and it was pointed out that Hongkong might emulate Bombay as a cotton manufacturing centre, inasmuch as the latter, with its cheap labour, has recen ly become quite a thorn in the side of Manchester. For this purpose the New Territory coal mines could beutilised. Among the new speakers were Messrs Duncan, Brown, Bain, Pendlebury, Bevan, Ricketts, and Kemp thorne. Whilethe weightiest speech was probably that of Captain Brown.

A FORGED NOTE.

At the Supreme Court

This morning before His Lordship Sir Francis Piggott (Chief Justice), Ng Fuk, alias Ma Fong, was arraigned on a charge second count of being in unlawful possespleaded not guilty and the following-jurors were called : Messrs J. Lochead (foreman,) U-Ming. The Attorney-General, Hon. Mr Morrell, prosecuted, prisoner being undefended-

The Attorney-General stated that on December 15 prisoner went to a house of Lill-fame on the Praya. There he handed a woman a \$5 note, purporting to be a note on the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. The girl took the money to the mistress tochange it, and returned the prisoner \$3 in twenty cent pieces. Shortly after this the A fire occurred in the hold of the mistress heard that one of her other girls home for the money. Amongst the bills produced was the 85 bill The Peking Government has decided which the girl had received from the to ask the Throne to issue at Imperial prisoner. The police immediately observed Decree showing the fundamental national | that it was a counterfeit note, and on inpolicy as the basis of carrying out con- formation given them by the mistress they proceeded to the brothel and arrested the defendant. On his person was found A Vladivostock telegram states that another \$5 note, also counterfeit. The Mixed Court Assessor at Shanghai, who the Russo-Chinese Bank will establish prisoner on being charged with the police for the past few menths has been acting branches at Kobe and Tsuruga shortly, the stated that he won the two notes playing Greece. It was not the Roman or the Chengtu where he will again carry on the methods in South China and will reduce knowledge they were forged. The point on fantan at Canton, and that he had no which the jury would have to be satisfied was that he uttered the note knowing it to be forged, and that he was in possession of a note which he knew to be forged. Evidence was led and the proceedings

had not concluded when our report closed. EXPECTORATION.

Measures of Repression.

At the Sanitary Board this afternoon i eport by the committee appointed to consider the matter of the spitting byelaws was read, in which they made the following recommendations:

(1) No person shall spit in any part of any building, if such part is or may be The Chinese Engineering & Mining used in common by two or more tonants except in a back yard, lavatory, latrine or urinal or other place specially provided for the purpose.

(2) No person shall spit in any part of any bakehouse, dairy, aerated water factory, According to a message from New York, fruit preserving establishment, library,

liable on summary conviction before a Magistrate to a penulty not exceeding \$10. The report was signed by Mr. H. It is reported from Berlin that the Humphreys, Captain F. W. Lyons and Dr

The Haiching takes 300 Chinese to Swatow, the Telemachus takes 300 to ment is pursuing a makeshift policy and | Saigon, the Glonfalloch takes 527 to Amoy and the Fukushu Maru 300 for Swatow.

TELEGRAPH. BY

ANTWERP LINER ASHORE.

Rendering Assistance.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, January 21.

is reported that the Antwerp liner Japan has gone ashore in th

Tugs are rendering the strander vessel assistance.

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LORD CURZON.

Elected To The Lords.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) LOSIOS, January 21.

In regard to the election of an Irish representative peer to the House of Lords which has just taken place the Auld complete figures are not yet available.

It is known, however, that Lord Curzon of Kedleston has been elected by a large majority.

POLITICAL RIOTS.

Conservative Club Attacked

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reules. via Bombay.) LONDON, January 20

A band of roughs, who claim to be liberals, besieged the Conservative Club at Newton Abbott for five hours.

All the windows in the Club were smashed by stones, and the disturbance increased until police assistance wa called.

The police charged the mob, using their truncheons, and finally succeeded in dispersing them, but not before one policeman was badly hurt in the body.

Sergeant Major Rendell, an energetic Conservative, has been found in the millstream at Newton Abbott with his head and face battered.

REUTER'S SERVICE. I JAPAN IN MANCHURIA.

London, January 19.

Japan persists in refusing to allow China to build a railway parallel with the Southern Manchuriano line, on the ground that it is a violation of the treaty of Peking.

Japan threatens to arrest the work, f commenced.

OBITUARY. The Attorney General.

LONDON, January 19.

The death is announced of Sir John . Walton, of double pneumonia, after a day's illness.

It is understood that Sir William Robson, K.C., will become Attorney General in succession to Sir John Walton, and Mr Rufus Isaacs, Solicitor General, in the place of Sir William Robson.

BYE-ELECTION.

London, January 19. Mr Bell, Unionist, has been elected in place of Mr H. T. Eve, K.C., (Ashburton), Liberal, who receives a Judgeship.

Mr Bell was opposed by Mr Buxton,

The Conservative papers regard the result of the Mid-Devon election as a triumph of Tariff reform.

THE INDEMNITY FUND.

Not Appreciated by Cantonese.

(From Our Correspondent.) CANTON, January 20.

Vicercy Chang has requested the Poking Government to reduce the amount of indemnity money that has been apportioned to Kwangtung and Kwangsi. The Board in charge of the matter are unfavourable to the reduction. The request shows that having to contribute towards the indemnity funds rests heavily upon, and is irritating to, the Cantonese, and that it should be so is not surprising when one remembers that most of the troubles necessitating the payment of indomnities have occurred in

Demoious enough for the taste and inviting enough to the eye to please the most fastidious, is Imperial Draught Beer.

other parts of the empire.

THE SCOTCH CONCERT.

The following is the programme arranged for the Scotch Concert to be held on Satur-I day night:

PART 1 1 Overture, "Tannhauser." (Wagner), Band of the Cameron Highlanders.

2 Dance, "Shean Trews," Miss Clark. 3 Bagpipe Selections (a) March, "Burns" Farewell," (b) Strathspey, "Stumple," (c) Band of the Cameron Highlanders.

A. G. Gordan. 5 Dance, Argyll Broadsword, Pipe Major Beattie, Pipers Barrie, Cook, and Reid, tables

(Cameron Highlanders). 6 Humorous Song, (Selected), Lance employed in the catching of rate, Corpl. D. Pollock, (Cameron Highlanders). 7 Highland Patrol, "The Wee Macgre-

gor," (Amers), Band of the Cameron Highlanders.

PART 2.

1 (a) Trombone Solo, "Annie Laurie," Bandsman Boyack, (b) Cornet Solo, "My pretty Jane," (Bishop), L. Corpl Travers, with Band of Cameron Highlanders.

2 Dance "Highland Fling," Miss Clark. 3 Contralto Solo. "O, Waby, Waby, up the Bank," (Blumenthal), Mrs.A. G. plague staff is given to the supervision of

4 Reel "Reel o' Tulloch," Pipe Major Beattie, Pipers Barrie, Cook, and Reid.

6 Bagpine Selections (a) March "The 74th Highlanders' Farewell to Edinburgh,' (b) Strathspey "Mrs Campbell's Favourite," (c) Reel "The Lads of Mull."

7 Humorous Song (Selected) L. Corpl. D Pollock. 3 Ist Ritirata Italiana (Drescher) Band of the Cameron Highlanders.

THE SANITARY STAFF.

Reduction of Inspectors. At the Sanitary Board this afternoon the Medical Officer of Health reported as follows with regard to the reduction of the Sanitary Staff: I have the honour to inform you that inspectors Murphy. Willis and Sutherland returned to the police or January 1st. A further reduction is due to the recent vacancies not having been filled. I have in accordance with your instructions arranged for the abolition of the special duties of the senior inspectors, and also the prosecuting inspectors, and now have one inspector only in each ly responsible to me for the sanitary condition of the houses in his district. divided between three inspectors (one of where is at present on leave) and the remaining two are carrying out the duties. A similar arrangement has been made in Kowloon, whereby one inspector undertakes the supervision of the scavenging work, in Kowloon, but rat plague had been fol. spar shed, sail loft, store room, offices and while the two district inspectors report direct to Dr. Macfarlane, and are responsible for the sanitary condition of the houses in their respective districts.

Mr Hooper- I am pleased to note that the recommondations of the Commission being given effect to. What has been done

The President-The post of one market inspector has been abolished, and the sanitary maintenance of the market is supervised by the district inspectors.

inspector?

LAND RECLAMATION CO.

The following is the sixth report of the Beard of Directors of the above Company to the Ordinary Meeting of Shareholders to be held at the company's offices, Victoria Buildings, at 11.15 a.m. on Tuesday, Statement of the Affairs to the Company, December, 1907.

The Net Profits for the year, including \$349,841.05 brought forward from last Account after paying all charges amount to \$358,135.99. It is now proposed to pay a Dividend of 7 per cent on the Paid up Capital after providing for which and writing off Directors' and Auditor's Fees there remains a balance of \$287,410.99 to be carried to credit of a new Profit and

Loss Account. DIRECTORS -Mr D. M. Nissim having resigned. Mr E. Shellim, was invited to join the Board and this appointment now requires confirmation. Messrs E. Shellim and Ho Tung, now

retire, but offer themselves for re-election. Auditors.—The Accounts have been audited by Messis W. H. Potts and A. O'D. Goundin, who now retire, and are would be most beneficial, judging from recommended for election.

HENRY KESWICE. Chairman:

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory:-On the 21st at 11.55 a. - The depression is moving into the Pacific to the E. of

The barometer has risen elsewhere, particulary over China and W. Japan. The anticyclonic area remains over China to the North of the Yangtze, and gradients are rather steep over S. China. Hard monsoon will continue to prevail in the Formesa Channel and the China Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

FORECAST DISTRICT. 1. Hongkong and Neighbourhood: N.E. winds, strong; dull, misty, 2.—Formosa Channel : N.E. gale. 3. South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks : Same as No. 1. 4. South coast of China between Hong-

kong and Hainan; Same as No. 2.

PLAGUE PREVENTION.

The Rat Crusade.

At the Sanitary Board this afternoon the reply from the Colonial Secretary relative to the rat catching system was read.

which rate were caught in connection with the measures for the prevention of plague Reel, "The Charms," by the Bagpipe Government, and the Colonial Secretary Sanitary Board copies of minutes by the so the new home of the Royal Hongkong 4 Contralto Solo, "My Ain Folk," Mrs Civil Medical Officer, together with the sporting life. statistics showing results of the labours of the a statement of the cost of the staff. copy of a minute by His Excellency the Governor was also enclosed in which the question, with others, was commented on The Government usked whether in the opinion of the Sanitary Board effect would be given to the suggestions of Dr. Clark.

The Medical Officer of Health minuted-There are 14 rat catching coolies no employed, while some portion of the time of the coloured foremen interpreters of the these coolies. I have for many months past been convinced that in this Colony at least the rat catchers are not worth retaining 5 Tenor Solo "Scots who hae," Mr J. D. They are a source of irritation to the Chinese, who resort to every method of stultifying their work—such as by springing off the traps, turning the bird lime boards upside down, or hanging them up in inaccessible positions, and if perchance a rat is caught it is usually flung into the roadway and opposite a neighbour's house rather than opposite the house where it was caught or had died. We cannot hope to make an appreciable impression upon the enormous rat population that lives underground-in sewers, storm drains, retaining walls and burrows, and hence think that our efforts should he directed wholly to excluding rats from dwellings. This we do by requiring concreted ground surfaces, in the provision of gratings to all drain inlets and ventilat openings, the abolition as far as possible of ceilings and hollow walls, and the regular collection of garbage so as to leave as little food as possible available for these vermin. I would not abolish rat catch ng altogether, but would make this merely a neat. small part of the ordinary duty of the plague inspector who should supply rat traps and poison and bird lime boards on application by any householder, and otherwise only apply these measures when specially directed one of the Medical Officers of Health

to see that only within the last two or hree months Dr. Ashburton Thompson has expressed similar views on plague. The scavenging work of the city is to be Dr. Thompson is a well known authority on plague. "Danys: virus has not so far proved a success in this Colony. The Principal Civil Medical Officer pointed out that in Victoria 208 plague infected rats were found in houses during 1906, and in Kowleen 50. In twelve of these cases in Victoria plague had followed and in two

any special rat catching staff. I am glad

lowed by human plague in adjoining houses in five more cases in Kowloon. Dr. Macfarlane's experience was that the first cases of rat plague were generally in houses; the rest were dumped. Acting on this he had turned the general cleansing gang on the whole block if infected rats were being found thrown out. Peopledid not mind with regard to this part of the staff are the general cleansing, whereas special rat cleansing alarmed them. Infected rats thrown into the street were of very conabout the abolition of the office of market siderable value if the general cleansing was done after them, as even if a rat be found in one particular house it does not necessarily follow that it has always lived there. that the M. O. H. in his minute confirms the view expressed in the report looking a good sweep of the harbour like to see what Dr. Ashburton Thompson, who is quoted by the Medical Officer of Health says on the subject of rat-catching. I quite agree with His Excellency the Governor in his minutes that it would tion about the place, and the real benefits be well if every householder kept a cat, of the Club will be found out long before it but there is a great difficulty in this Colony to do it, as they are very often stolen, believe, for the purpose of being eaten by the natives. If a reward is estimated that it will be first used this January, 28: Gentlemen-The Directors given for the capture of rats it must have now to submit to you a General be small. Further particulars about 'rattin" ought to be obtained from our local draggists. I cannot agree that the and Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st present system of compelling funnels to be. placed on the cables connecting ships the house for rowing and gymnastic purwith wharves is of any use because, as rule, gangway boards are placed from the wharves to the ship for the use of passengers and crew, so that a rat can always have access to the ship, and even when the construction has been supervised these boards are not in use the fenders and guards of a ship are in contact with the wharf thereby affording easy access to the rats at all times to enter or leave the ship On this point further evidence should be taken from the captains of ships, Excellency's suggestion contained in paragraph 4 for measures to train the common people, and the establishment of street committees. I consider to be very good, and I believe would lead to excellent

results. With regard to His Excellency's auggestion about the emigration of Chinese past experience, I do not believe the living so far from the seat of their labours. This is borne out. I consider, by the large number of vacant, tenements in the east portion of Victoria at lower routals than obtain in the congested districts notwithstanding the fact also that the tenements referred to are easily and quickly accossible by tram. Although the minute of H. K. the Governor and those of the P. C. M. O. and M. O. H. are circulated confidentially I consider better results would be obtained by making them as public as possible. I trust the Govern-

Hon. Mr Hewett-I think the Government should be asked to publish these papers. His Excellency's minute is specially worthy of consideration by the community. Mr. Lau Chu pak-It has long been known that rat catching in the way it has been conducted could never give a successful result, and will only set the people against the efforts of the board so long as it is continued. Unless the Chinese are taught to cooperate it is simply a waste of money. I entirely endorse His Excellency the Governor's remarks that additional and practical means should be substituted for the old, costly and drastic measures. Why is this marked confidential?

ment will have no objection to this being

HAUNTS FOR SPORTING MEN.

The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club's House.

More or less Hongkong ought to be proud of her sporting club houses. The The letter stated that the question under Golf Club have had their house at Happy Valley for several years, the Cricket Club is well-established, the Corinthian Club have had been under the consideration of the been in their little dove cote for some time. the V. R. C. will soon be in their handsome transmitted for the consideration of the buildings on the Praya, and in a week or Medical Officer of Health and the Principal | Yacht Club will be the scene of busy

It has taken a long time for this club to get into permanent quarters. It used to be housed in a matshed at Kowloon, but the big typhoon of 1906 blow the whole plate away and rushed the club into a new building. It is situated on the water from at Wanchai, near the Dutch Petroleum Company's place, and altogether the site in a very fine one for the purpose, and is just far enough away from the City to be countrified. That is a distinct advantage. Not only does it compel members who wis to reach it to leave the fetid air of the city, but it also provides fresh air, and in ably ensures fresh water for bathing-which in the summer time is half the inducement to live in Hongkong.

The Club House itself, which is just having the finishing touches put upon it, is likely to please members immensely. It is spacious and affords every convenience for the varied sports that the Royal Hong-

kong Yacht Club fosters. Primarily the Club is a yachting one but rowing is strongly followed and most future. Yachtsmen are to be catered for of the yachts at one time, and there are lawns for tennis and bowls-at least there will be lawns when the land is ready for

The buildings themselves are picturesque and substantial, built of Canton brick and tastofully designed. They have two floors, The top one being faced with rough cast plaster, and the roofs are of Chinese tiles painted black. The outside woodwork is painted a neat shade of green, relieved with black, and altogether the taste in the selection of the decorations is

An idea of the commodiousness of the place can be gained when it is mentioned that it includes a boat shed 49 feet by 48 feet 9 inches; a gymnasium 20 feet by 48 This would dispense with the necessity for feet 9 inches-a fine airy place; a dressing room 37 feet 6 inches by 15 feet 9 inches; a reading room 27 feet by 15 feet 9 inches; bar 37 feet 6 inches by 15 feet 9 inches; a ladies' room 15 feet 9 inches by 9 feet 9 inches; a lavatory 12 feet by 37 feet; a drying room 12 feet by 11 feet; a large bathroom with three showers; an enclosed

verandah 48 feet by 10 feet; an open verandah 49 feet by 10 feet; a spacious coolie quarters. By and bye the yacht slip and a wharf for boating will be erected, and when the lawns are finished this House should be

one of the most patronised in the Colony. The facilities it offers for bathing are likely to cause a diminution in the number of bathing parties, for in front is a fine stretch of harbour available for those who like natation, and the Club offers fresh water and all the conveniences and comforts that could be desired. These are never to be found Mr Hooper-It is satisfactory to note on a steam launch. Then tennis or bowls can be played and fine verandahs overshould give excellent space for lounge chairs, where the evening cool might be enjoyed in a tranquil "loaf" before the city is returned to. There is decidedly an attrac-

> Shortly it should be occupied. It is week and when the boat slip is up the official opening will take place. That will be a few months yet, but in the mentime the members will be able to use

When the lawns are ready they will be able to indulge in other games. The house was designed by Mr Gale, but Mr E. W. Carpenter, who also filled in much of the detail in the plans, and to him is due considerable credit for the excellent appearance and the substantiality shown in the construction of the place. Ye Yick was the contractor and we believe he has not only done his work well but took great interest in it. That is generally unusual. But between the designers, the contractor, and the folk who supplied the wherewithal from congested districts in Victoria to the Colony has had added to it a most de-Kowloon, I regret to say that whilst it sirable haunt for the sporting men. The Royal Club should benefit much by its new Chinese would avail themselves of the acquisition, and the member of the club opportunities offered, as they object to who is jaded will always find a tharming retreat waiting for him at the end of the

A COMING CONFLICT.

New York, January 13. Mr Justice Harlan, of the United States Supreme Court, speaking at a dinner given by the Navy League in Washington, said. that it was certain that the future conflict between the yellow and the white races would shake the earth. He wanted America to be prepared to most it.

A delicacy, and a most excellent drink. appetizing, satisfying and nutritious; it has a rare good flavour, Imperial Draught

BEWARE OF PNEUMONIA

TE you have weak longs, you have reason all chemists and storekeepers.

SPORTING.

Vachting.

THE ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB. starting point. The race will commence at the usual time.

THE TROUBLES OF CHINA.

to have done great damage throughout the District of Saining. The local magistrate reported upon the condition of affairs. The Viceroy immediately deputed as official of his own, selection to proceed to the District, make an examination of the condition of affairs, and report separately. This report has now been sent in and therefrom it is seen what roubles come upon the Chinese in these country districts, which are generally unknown to those of us who live in the (From the Curna Mail of the 8th January, Treaty Ports, because, as a rule, no news comes to us. The report of the Weiyuen states that no less than one thousand nine undred houses were washed away by the floods, or injured so badly that they became | Shanghai to the 27th ult. The Ocquette unfit for human habitation. At the time which left Hongkong on the 3rd November | eléctric engines, form part of the improveof the floods there were drowned or crushed by the falling houses no less than forty persons either male or female. At the excellent sheds will house the boats in same time, the waters, having burst their the Admiral on board. ombankments, carried sand and atones over with a new slipway sufficient to hold most hundreds of acres of cultivatable land, and, for the time, rendered this land usoless for cultivation unless the sand were removed... Indeed the report of the Special Commissioner points out that the facts were understated by the resident magistrate. Of course there is the usual appeal for monetary assistance. This assistance the Viceroy has ordered to be rendered. He has commanded that funds be granted, that the houses be rebuilt, that the embankments be repaired, and that workmen be employed to remove the sand and rubbish from the fields that have been covered therewith, so that they be rendered usable again at the coming apringtime. The Viceroy does not state where the funds are coming from to carry out these works, but apparently the vork

is to be done. We report this to point out the troubles that come upon the Chinese in the inland and country districts which often are unknown to those who live at the Treaty Ports, unknown indeed often to the Chinese themselves. Yet these misfortunes are of frequent occurrence, and, among i other things, throw the people back into a miserable poverty, from which a whole generation is too short a time to rescue them, and place them again in moderate comfort, even as the Chinese regard

MILITARY MOVEMENTS ON THE NORTH AND WEST RIVERS.

Some time ago it was reported that the authorities decided to recall the small native gunbouts, that were stationed on the North River, and transfer them to the West River in order to render shipping more safe on the latter waters. It appears now however that the magistrates on the North River are up in arms against the arrangements, and are appealing to the Viceroy wonted urbanity and selfpossession. After the Cabinet to-day, owing to trouble not to carry out the proposed change. They say, and probably with a good deal of truth, that this movement will be, in effect, robbing Peter to pay Paul. 'If the guard boats are removed from the North River the robbers and pirates will at once show their hands, and troubles will at once befall shipping and the boating population. Already there are signs that the robbers are aware of the proposed transfer, and are less timid than before, and, when things are really left comparatively unprovided for in this way, they will swarm, and nothing that can be done will hold them in check. As a compromise, the officials on the North River ask that the policing of the two rivers, be joined under one command, and that those who have charge of the policing shall be made responsible for keeping order over both sections. This will mean that all the boats will not be withdrawn. for the responsible officer will so arrange his boats and men, that he can try to keep the robbers in check in both places. It is said that the local soldiers on the North River are quite insufficient to keep order, and thus the outlook is quite distressing if all the guard-boats are removed. What will be done in view of this appeal is not

JAPAN IN MANCHURIA.

Tokyo, January 13. The United States Consulat Tairen has stated that he sees no reason for corroborating Dr. Morrison's criticisms en Japan's policy in Manchuria. It would be still inopportune, he added, to criticize Manchurian railway arrangements. Russian and German merchants in Harbin are organizing a big company with the object of ousting the Japanese tea trade.

Agree drinking, you say you have never tasted a more delicious or seen a more pleasing sight than a glass of Imperial Draught Boor. -ADVT.

WHY COLDS ARE DANGEROUS. Tryou would be immune from disease, keep the system healthy. Each suchand a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Re- | Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will ours that is claimed for it and its cures chemists and storekeepers.

DOWN WITH THE REBELS.

(From Our Correspond at.) CANTON, January 20. An important communication dealing The eighth club race for the yachts of with the treatment of so-called robols has the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club will take been sent out from Peking to all Viceroys. place on Sunday next over a course from It points out that many who are merely Police Pier, Kowloon, to a mark boat off robbers, take themselves the name of re-Cheung Hue (starboard), to North Fairway | bels and so terrify the people. Officials Buoy (starboard), thence to mark boat off are commanded to examine carefully into Cheung Hue (starboard) and back to each case and mete out the punishment that is due. Precautions should be taken to prevent a robber when arrested from implicating innocent people against whom he may have a grudge. Special care should be taken not to punish a man's family either when he is forced to join a Some time ago reports of floods were so called robel band or when his family realsent in to the Viceroy, which were stated y know nothing about his misdeeds. It is pointed out that the people are much more apt to become law-abiding and law-respecting if they first become assured that the law will be administered with strict justice.

CHINA SIXTY-TWO YEARS AGO.

Hacolim meminisse juvabit

SKATING AT SHANGHAL

By the schooner Mazeppa, which arrived on the 3rd instant, we have advices from had arrived in Shanghai on the 19th Dec. H. M. Steamer Vixon sailed on the 24th for Chusan, Ningpo, and Hongkong, having

hitherto unknown to the foreign residents, some of whom had been enjoying the unwonted recreation of skating. At Woosung they were able to walk from the shore to the vessels in the river. The thermometer was so low as ten degrees. We would suggest to our countrymen in the north the dity. establishment of a curling club next year.

PIRATICAL ATTACK. A successful attack was recently made Watkins, Limited. moon passage. The vessel left Hongkong for Canton with a cargo, chiefly of woollens, and was obliged to anchor at the Cumsingmoon for the tide. Three boats full of men were observed approaching the lorcha and on being hailed, no answer was 31, Queen's Road Central, muskets to be fired in the direction of the beats, the crew of which made strong efforts to reach the Margaret, with evident inten- 1311 tion of boarding. The lorchs having a sixteen pounder which on the appearance of danger had been loaded with grape and cannister it was now placed amidships, and discharged with great effect, killing and wounding several of the pirates. second fire likewise told, one of the boats having a mast shot through Immediately

made their escape. CHINA-AMERICAN TREATY SIGNED. China took place at Pounting, the place agreed upon, between the Chinese and the American Commissioners.

after this the three boats sheered off and

In consequence of Mr Everett's having | evade some death-dealing spears. been prevented by illness from accomplishing his proposed mission to China, the execution of the present grateful duty was entrusted to Commodoro Biddle to whom the full powers conferred upon the principal commissioner had been delegated. P e Commodore is one of the oldest commanders in the United States Navy, and

fifteen years ago was the negotiator of a treaty with Turkey. The gallant officer with his suite arrived at Poonting shortly after the Chinese Commissioner, who received him with his the compliments and ceremony usual on such occasions, the copies of the Treaty were produced and compared by the interpreters and Commodore Biddle taking the American copy in both hands, made a short and appropriate speech and delivered the Treaty to Keying, who then handed him received in audience by the Emperor this the Chinese copy signed by the Emperor. The party thereafter partook of a repast served in Chinese style, and separated about eight o'clock, due honour having been done to toasts devoted to the Emperor of China and the President of the

Keying, we are sorry to learn, was evidently indisposed and labouring under depression of spirits; but the intellige t countenance of Lieutenant Governor Hwang expressed a full appreciation and enjoyment of the whole proceedings, which must be hailed as another pledge of a more enlarged policy being adopted by this great, but hitherto exclusive people, in their intercourse with foreign nations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. His Excellence Her Majesty's Plenipotentiary, etc., etc. deems it necessary Ministers of Communications and of to make it publicly known that during Finance. The portfolios of these two the progress of the negotiations in Ministers have been given as an additional which he is engaged with the Chinese Minister for placing the privileges of Mr M. Matsuda. Ministers of the Interior British subjects at Canton on the same footing as at the four other Ports of trade. it would be highly requisite to abstain the Diet .- "N.-C. Daily News." from any attempts at forcing a way into the city. Such attempts on the part of individuals will not only be attended with the worst effects, in postponing a settlement of the question, but expose those individuals to all the consequences of their rashness without a remedy. His Excel. into the political situation. People on the lency only expresses the spirit of his in spot do not expect much improvement in structions, in declaring that Her Majesty's the outlook, to result from the visit. No Government will not be responsible for inquiries can soften the deep-seated hatred dither the protection of indemnification of of the Achinese for their alien masters, and parties, who by their own misconduct or they showed their contempt for the Govby their clipable negligence in omitting to ernor-General by attacking the outposts restrain those whom it is their duty control, shall wilfully expose themselves to |-at the very time His Excellency was injury or loss.

By Order, ADAM W. ELMSLIE.

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Japanese Cabinet Crisis. Railway Estimates and

Exchequer Bonds. Tokyo, January 14. There has been frequent going and comme of Elder Statesmen and members of that arises ostensibly out of the railway estimates. Prince Ito was summoned to the Palace this afternoon after seeing Marquis Katsura, the late Premier. Marquis Sajonji, the present Premier, was also

It is believed that Japan is negotiating with foreign financiers for the conversion of Exchequer bonds to the extent of about

. 100,000,000 in March or April. The Premier, and the Ministers of Communications and of Finance. Mr. I. Yamagata, and Baron Sakatani, tendered their resignations last night. At a Cabinet Council to day it was found that the joint resignations are in proper order. Subsequently Marquis Saionji was received in

audience by the Emperor. Meanwhile his Majesty, after consulting with Prince Ito, rejected the Premier's resignation, but accepted those of the charge for the present to Mr K. Hara and and of Justice respectively, presumably nending the close of the current session of

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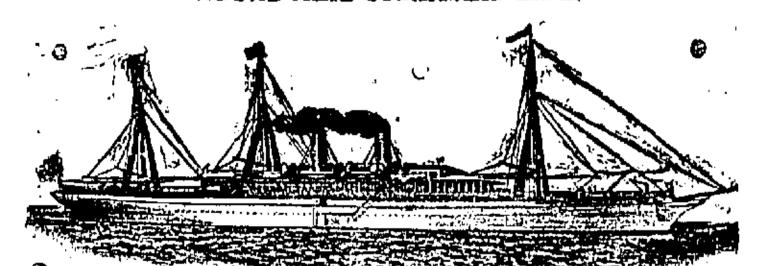
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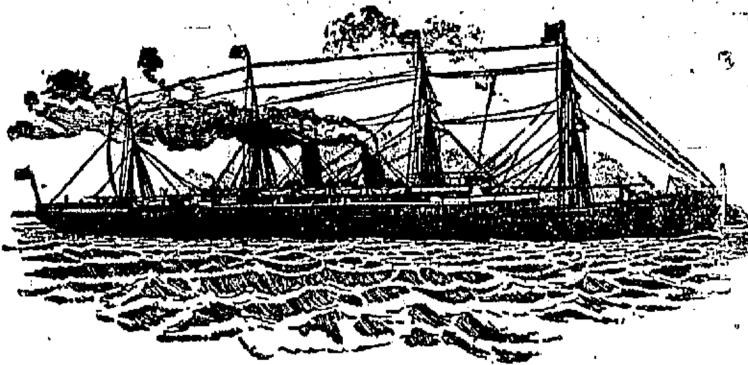
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM MIDDLESBOROUGH. ANTWERP, LONDON & STRAITS.

THE Steamship FLINTSHIRE,

Captain G. C. Cundy, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Honokong and Kowloon WHARP AND GODOWN Co., LID., at Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No claims will be admitted after the remaining undelivered after the Sist Inst.,

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods Japan Daily Mail." are to be left in the Godowns, where they. will be examined on Tuesday, the 21st Inst., at 3-P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countereigned by SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

Hongkong, January 15, 1908. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM PORTLAND, ASTORIA AND

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery

JAPAN.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed at once at Con- purposes of military transport adds enorsignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

S. SILVERSTONE. Hongkong, January 20, 1908.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship PRINZ HEINRICH, having arrived, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their rick into the hazardous and/or extra the Kamo Maru which was launched on the hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and

notice to the contrary be given before shipping annually. With insignificant WEDNESDAY, the 15th of January, at Noon. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd of Japuary, will be subject to rent. All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on the 22nd of January, at 9.30 a.m. All claims must reach us before the 26th of January, 1908, or they will not be recog-No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, 'MELCHERS & CO.,

Hongkong, January 15, 1908. Jan., at 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY: 22nd AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVI Jan., at Daylight. GATION COMPANY.

the undersigned.

SUNDAY, 26th NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. Jan., at 9 s.m. FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO,

> PENANG AND SINGAPORE. MHE Company's Steamship Austria having arrived, Consignees of Cargo

are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risks, into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., whence delivery may be obtained. This Vessel brings on cargo :-

From Venice ex s.s. Espero, transhipped at Tricate. From Trieste ex s.s. Koerber, transhipped at Bombay. Optional Cargo will be discharged here, unless notice to the contrary be given immediately.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 23rd January, 1908, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance has been effected, and

any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 23rd January, 1908, will be subject Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDER, WIELER & Co.,

Hongkong, January 16, 1908. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVI

GATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND SHANGHAI.

hereby informed that Goods will be landed tained immediately after landing. into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous | Optional Cargo will be forwarded on Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon unless intimation is received from the Con. Mullet, Chai Yu WHARF AND GODOWN Co., LTD., whence signess before Noon, To-DAY, requesting Oysters,—Sang Hoo delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all the Undersigned, and Goods remaining Undersigned before Noon, on the 23rd January, at Noon, will be subject to rent January, 1908, or they will not be re- and landing charges.

and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 23rd January, 1908, will be Bills of Lading will be countersigned by 3 p.m. SANDER, WIELER & Co.,

Agents. Prince's Buildings. Hongkong, January 16, 1908.

THE SEOUL TROUBLE.

The Seoul correspondent of the "Kokumin Shimbun" telegraphs that the insurgents are broken, for the present-at all events. He assigns three causes for this. The first is the presence of Japanese debiehments here and there and their vigorous procedure in restoring order. The second is that the insurgents have fallen short of ammunition and provisions. and the third is that they are not equipped for remaining in the field during the severe cold of winter. They, have consequently dispersed, but the correspondent does not assert that the trouble is all over. On the contrary he thinks that a remnant of the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods | insurgents will resume their disorderly procedure when the Spring opens .- "The

SHIP-BUILDING IN JAPAN.

Wonderful Strides Made.

The launch of the Kamo Mara from the Mitsu Bishi Dock Yard at Nagasaki has directed attention to ship-building industry in Japan. The Kamo Maru is a steamer of 9,000 tons, and is one of 6 steamers of

the same size which have been ordered by the Nippon Yuson Kaisha from the same builders. She is a very fine vessel, fitted with all the most modern appliances and The above Steamer having arrived, Con. specially adapted for the purposes of the signees of Cargo are hereby notified to service on which she is to be placed, name: ly, the European line of the premier Japanese S.S. Company. It n said that the availability of such ships for mously to Japan's belligerent capacity. Cargo remaining on board after 5 p.m., In the recent war the most commodious

WEDNESDAY, January 22nd, 1908, will be ships she could lay hands on were the landed and stored at Consignees' risk and twelve European liners of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, each having a displacement of 6,000 tons. One of these vessels could All Cargo undelivered by noon, TUES. | transport two battalions of troops with all DAY, January 28th, 1908, will be subject | their acoutrements and paraphernalia, so it will be very evident that the addition of All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo six ships of 9,000 tons means a large will be examined at the above Company's expansion of her fighting strength. Godown on SATURDAY, January 25th, at Naturally, it gives the Japanese nation much satisfaction to reflect that if, on one hand, their sea-going enterprise has rooressed so greatly that the flag of the Rising Sun is now seen

almost every sea, on the other, their shipbuilding industry has developed capacity to supply ships of the highest class for all their services. The "Jiji Shimpo" has a leading article on the subject. It notes that since the Hitachi Maru-which was the first of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha's squadron of twelve sixthousand-ton liners-took the water from the Mitsu Bishi Dock on April 1st, 1898, no less than 12 steamers aggregating 85,000 tons have been built by this great firm, including the Tenyo Maru and the Chiyo Maru of 14,000 tons each, construct-

ed to order of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha, and 24th in the presence of Mr Iwanaga, Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Managing Director of the Nippon Yusen Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may Kaisha and one of its most competent officials. The Mitsu Bishi Dock now employs Optional cargo will be forwarded unless 8,000 hands and can build 30,000 tons of Ducks,—Ay exceptions, all the materials required for Doves,-Pan Kan factured in Japan, and when we reflect that this country is also building its own Fowls, Canton,-Kai

constructing big steamers are now manubattleships—ships of the very highest type -we are compelled to admit that the strides made by the Japanese during the deese,-Ngol past ten years in matters of maritime enterprise and shipbuilding are very

Notices to Consignees

MPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship PRINZ WALDEMAR, having arrived. Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their Wild-Ducks, S'hal,-Shanghai Sul-ap risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited

Kowloon and West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd of January, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

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the Undersigned. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. MELCHERS & Co. Agents.

Hongkong, January 16, 1908. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMER OCEANIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex B.S. Medoc and Cordonan : from HAVRE ex s.s. Cordonan, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are Labrus,-Wong Fa Yu being landed and stored at their risks Into the bazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong & Kow-THE Company's Steumship Nippon having LUON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., 1 strived, Consignees of Cargo are at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob. Mackerel, -Ohl lu

> It to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Par othan, -Kal Kung Yu

No Fire Insurance has been effected, before the 27th January, or they will not be recognized. on MONDAY, the 27th Januaray at No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, January 20, 1908.

Butcher Meat. Beef sirioin & prime out-Mel Lung Pa ... 12 20

.. Corned-Ham Ngau Yuk ., Breast,-Nagu Lam .. " Soup,-Tong Yak ...

. Sausages, -Ngau Chaung Bullock's Brains,- Siow Tongue 'resh,-Ngau '4 .. corned—Ham Ngan Li Head,-Ngan Tau

Beart, -- Ngan Sum Hump, Calt—Ngan Kin Feet,-Ngau Kerk Kidneys,-Ngan Yiu

Liver,-Ngan Con Tripe (undressed)-Ngau To Leg, -Yenng Pei ... Shoulder, -Young Shan

Pigs' Chittings-Chi chong Brains—Chi Know , Feet,-Ch Kerk , Fry,-Ohi Chak .. Head,—Chi Tau , Heart,-Chi Sum Kidneys,-Chi Yiu ,. Liver,--Chi Con

Liver,—Young Con Sucking Pigs, To Order-Cho Chal Suet, Beef,—Sang Ngan Yan Mutton,-Sang Yeung Yau ...

Veal,—Ngau Chai Yuk Bausages,—Ngan Chai Cheor g Poultry.

ner dozen

hainan,-Hoi Nam Kai ---Geese, Wild Sh'al, -S'he Yer Ngoi, Musk Deer,-Wong Keng Hare, Shanghai,—Tu Chal , Partridge,-Che Kacc Pheasant,—Shan Kal

Holhow, -- Hol How Pak Kup. Quail,-Um-Chun Rice Birds,-Wo Fa Cheuk each Snipe,—Sa-Choy

Turkeys, Cook-Phor Kal Kung ... Feal,-Sui Ap Chal, Wild Ducks Canton-SangShing Sul Ap, ea.

will be examined on the 22nd of January, Canton Fresh-Water Fish,—Hol Sin Y Carp, -Li Yu Catfish,—Chik Yu Codfish.—Mos Yo Crabs,—Hal ... Cuttle Fish .- Muk Yu

Dab,-Sa Mang Yu ... Dace, - Wong Mel Lun Dog Fish -Tit Tu Sa. Eels, Congor,—Hal Mann Fresh water,—Tam Slu Xo

Garoupa,—Sak Pan ... Gudgeon,-Pak Kup Yu. Herrings,-Tso Pak ... Hallbut,-Oheung Kwan Fosch,-Wu Ya

Claims must be sent to the Office of the unclaimed after MONDAY, the 27th Perch,-Tau Loo Plke,-Fa Paw Poong Plaice.-Pan Yu All claims must be sent in to me on All damaged packages will be examined Poinfret, White, Pak Chong Dawns, -Ming Ha ... Rhy -Pol Pa Sa -

Agent

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Pork, Uhop, -Chi Pai Kwat .. Corned,-Ham Chu Yuk " Leg,—Chu Pel .. Fat or Lard,-Cha Yau Sheeps' Head and Feet.—Young Tau Kerk set 55 Heart,—Yeung Sum

Kidneys,—Yeung Yiu

Pigeone, Canton,-Pak Kup

fiels, Yellow, -Wong Sin Frogs, -Tien Kal

Pomiret, Black, -Hak Chong

Rook Fish -Sak Kan Kung

Soles, —Tat Sa Yu. .. Tench,-Wan Yu 應證扒 Turbot, -- Cho How Yu Turtles, small, fresh water, -- Kork Yu White Bait,—Ngan Yo Chal

Salmon,-Ma Yan Yu

Shark.—Sa Yu

Skate. —Po Yu

Shrimps,—Ha

Snapper,--- Lap Yo

Fraits. Apples, (California)-Kam San Ping Khe (Chefoo)-Tin Chun Ping Khor... Small,-Hoi Tong ... Custard,—Fan Lai Chi Bananas, fragrant, Canton, San Shing Heung Chiu ... Bananas, (brides), Macso-San Henng Chic Chestnuts, Chinese,-Foong Lut ... Carambols,-Young Tuo ...

Cocoanuts,-Yeh Tez... Lemons, Jhina-Ning Moong America-Kum San Ning Moon ... ichees Dried-Lai Chi Small Stone Limes, (Saigon)—Sai Rung Ning Moong... Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong ... Mangosteens,—San Chuk Tax

Oranges, (Canton)—San Shing Tim Chang Pears, (American),-Kam San Shut Li (Canton), Cooking,-Sa Li Peanuts,-Fa Sang Persimmons Large,-Hung Chie Paw Law ...

Pine-apples, Istquality,-Sheung Poon To , 2nd cocking-Chung-tang-paw-law Plantains,—Tai Chèn Plums, -Swatow Hung Lai ... 遊遊池 Pumelo, Siam,—Chim Lo Yan Shanghai.-Lo Kwat Walnuta,—Hop Tuo Green,-Sang Hop Tuo ... Water Melon-(Am.) Kum San Sai Kwa...

(China) Sai Kwa Grape.-Sang Po Tai Tez ... Vegetables, &c

Beans, (French), Macao, -- Oh Moon Pin Ta flong,—Tan Kok

Beet Root,-Eung Chot Tau Brinjals, Green,—Ching Yuen Red,-Hung Ker,-Cabbage, Chinese, com.—Kat Choy Cabbage Red.-Hung Yea Choy ... Cabbage, (Shanghai),-Yeh Choi ... Cane Shoots, bunch,-Kau Shun ... Cauliflower, Large size - Tal Yek Chol-ta Medium size,—Cheung Yeh Cho -fa 中阿英雄 . Small size, Sai Yeh Chol Fa Carrots,-Kam Shun

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Colory, Chinese,-Tong Kan Chol English, -Young Chilles Dried, -Con Lat Chiu Red,-Hung Fa. .. Green,-Ching Lat Chlu Curry Stuff, English, Ka Lee Cho Liq... Oucumbers.—Ching Kwa Bitter Squash,—Fu Kwa Garlie,-Suen Tau ...

Ginger, young,—Sun Taz Keung old,-Lo Kenng :--Horse Radish, S'hai-Lik Kan Indian Corn,—Suk Mai 洋生茶 Lettuce,-Yeung Sang Chol Water Chesnuts, -Ma Tai ... Mandarin,-Kwel Lum Ma Tal.

Mushrooms, Fresh-Sang Cho Kho Musk Melon-(Amr. Kan San Hong Kwa sach) Onlone, Bombay, -Yeung Chong Tau Green,—Sang Churg --Shanghal, -Sheung Hat Chung Tav ,.. Papaw, 1st qual.—Tal Man Sau Kwa each 中国等集 Parsley,-Kun Cho ...

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Green Peas,-Ohing Tau Potatoo, Sweet, -- Fan Shu --Shanghal, -Sheung Hal Shu Tsal Japan,-Yut Poor Shu Tsal American, -Fa Ki

Foochow, -Fak ChauShu Tast . Pumpkin,-Toong Kwa Radish,-Hung Lo Pak Tsal Rhubarb (Fresh)—Tai Wong Sage,--{Chi So Shalots,—Con Chung Tan Spinsch -- Yin Chol Tomatoes,—Fan Ker

Taros, Wu Tan Turnips, Ponti, (Long),-Low Pak English, -Yenng Low Pak please . Vegetable Marrow,-Ohlt Kwa (Am.)-Kum San Oblt Fws Water Cremes, -Sal Young Chol

O. W. BRETT, Inspector. The prices necessarily warv from day to day and the bankary Board ha no power to compel stallholders to sel ab the prices 3, A. Woodcook.

Secretary, Sanitary Board.

THE THREATENED BOYCOTT AT SHANGHAL

With the issue of the Taotai's Proclamation, a translation of which appears as a Municipal Notification, there is little chance of the suggested boycott of British trade; being carried beyond the leaflet stage, says the "N. C. Daily Nows" of January 14. The directness of speech and firmness shown in the Proclamation are in striking contrast with the somewhat equivocal notice issued on Sunday by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, and we welthe prompt action thus taken by his Honour M. T. Liang to cope movement that in the end would have proved as prejudicial to Chinese as to foreigners. It would be idle to ignore the possibilities of the anti-loan campaign, which under official auspices (i.e. at the provincial centres) might lead 8. 8. Co. to serious complications; but in view of the attitude of the Peking Government and of the fact that it is to the interest of the commercial element in these provinces to have good relations between the foreign and Chinese sections maintained, we may | Saluzie, for Europe, &c.

hope that the worst is over. Perhaps the most promising sign of a Nord, for Manila. new leaf being turned in the history of this Wosang, for Canton unfortunate incident, is the decision that Jacob Diederichsen, for Hoihow. the local Chinese Press is reported to have Shinshu Maru, for Saigon. arrived at, not to publish anything further Shoshu Maru, for Swatow. that is calculated to rouse the feeling of Wuhu, for Canton. the populace. Of late the cartoons in the Tosa Maru, for Shanghai and Scattle. Chinese papers have been characterized by Hanoi, for Haiphong. considerable virulence and have, probably, Wakematsu Maru, for Moji. created far more anti-foreign sentiment | Taming, for Manila. than Yin's abortive pamphlet. Much Haiching, for Swatow, ground will have to be made up, if the Moyune, for Singapore and Liverpool editors propose to try to counteract the Hankong, for Shanghai. evil already done; but the decision arrived Hangana, for Swatow. at on Sunday evening earnet fail to have some effect.

TO-day Advertisoments | Kinno Pina, for Chinkiang.



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F H. MAY,

Colonial Secretary, Höngkong, January 21, 1968.

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Hongkong Tides.

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The tide table given below has been compiled at the Nautical Almanac Office In London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Wa-ter Police Basin at Telm Sha Tsui during the years 1887-8-9. The zero of the table corresponds with

the tero of the soundings in the Admiralty Charts which has been found to be 4 feet 3 inches below mean sea level." To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 3 For SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE. feet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 6 inches to the height given in the table.

January 22nd to 28th, 1908.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. January 20. Cheongshing, British steamer, 1,256, F Wheeler, Ohefoo and Weihaiwei Jap. 15,

General. - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Holstein, German, str., 985, A. Niejahr, Haiphong and Hoihow Jan. 19, General. Section -Jebsen & Co.

Riang Ping, Chinese str., from Canton. January 21. Empire, British steamer, 2,843, P. T. Helms, Kobe Jan, 15, General. - Gibb.

Nikko Maru, Japanese str., 3,434, T. Harrison, Nagasaki January 14, General -Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Zaftro, British str., 1,629, R. Rodge Manila January 18, Hemp. - SHEWA

Siberia, American steamer, 5,655, Zeeder, San Francisco Dec. 24, and Shans hai Jan. 18, Mails and General .- P. M Luchow, British str., 1,216, Baddeley

Weihalwei Jan. 15. General. - Buttenfiel DEPARTURES.

January 21. Taiwan, for Macao.

CLEARED. Malte, for Shanghai. Ganges, for Calcutia Hakata Maru, for Singapore and I and Telemachus for Sagon Choising, for Swatow. Glerfallock, for Amoy.

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Per Empire, from Kobe, Mrs Ruthe

Per Zafiro, from Manila, Mr and M Mr Namota, Per Siberia, from San Francisco, &c.

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DEPARTED. Per Tosa Maru, for Seattle, &c., Mrs Ambroke, Messrs E. Hallows and Marco

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Mails will close:— For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Kumano Maru, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 22nd Jan

For MACAO. - " Per Sui-Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Wednesday, the 22nd Jan. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

CUTTA. -Per Catherine Appar, at 2 p.m., on Wednesday, the 22nd Jan. For DURBAN .-

Per Heliopolis, at 3 p.m., on Wednesday, the 22nd Jan. For. BANGKOK .-

Per Wongkoi, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 23rd Jan For FINGALORE & SOURABAYA .-Per Onsang, at 2 p.m., on Thursday, the 23rd Jan.

For SHANGHAL. Fer Kinking, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 23rd Jan. For CEBU & ILOILO.

For SINGAPORE, PENANG, MADRAS, COLOMBO & BOMBAY. Per Yetvrofu Maru, at 5 p.m., on Thurs-

day, the 23rd Jan. For MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNS. VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY. HOBART, LAUNCESTON, NEW ZEALAND, MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, PERTH & FREE-MANTLE.

Per Nikko Maru, at 10 a.m., on Friday, the 24th Jan. YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU & SAN FRANCISCO.

Per America Maru, on Friday, the 24th Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m. Registration at 10 a.m. Registration, with late fee of 10 cente. up to 10.45 a.m. Registration, Kowloon B.O., 10 a.m. No late fea.

Letters at 11 a.m. (Supplementary Mail on board up to the Extra Postage 10 cents.)

For MANILA Per Yuensing, at 8 p.m., on Friday, the 24th Jan. For SWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANG-

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

EXCLUSIVE OF LATE ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES REPORTED TO-DAY.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloon shore k., and those in the hedy of the Shpipping of midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1. From Green Island to the Gas. Works. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour & Office. 4. From Harbour Master's to the Market. 5. From The Market to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building. 8. From Blue Puildings to East Point 1) From Kellet's Island to North Point. 10. Royloon Wharves. 11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessels'	Names.	Anchor	CAPTATW.	FLAG A Rio,			Date Arriv			DESTINATION.	REMARKS.
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STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL. The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Chingtu left Kobe SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER. Acara, Ningchow, Dec. 20; Bengloe, Pingsuey, Telemachus, Nera, Bintang. 24; Bombay Maru, Socotra, Teenkai, Bluecross, Hohenfels, Tamaru Maru, 31; Achilles, Nore, Glenearn, Nubia, Drumgeith, Vorwaertz, January 4; Agamemnon, Glenlochy, Menelaus, Indrasamha, Senegambia, Yunnan, Glamorganshire, Brasilia 7; Ernest Simons, Attoli, Awa Maru, Hitachi Maru, P. R. Luitpold, 10; Benlawers, Longsor, Syria, Cathay, Silesia, (Ger.), 14; Luertes, Sachsen, Tourane, Kleist,

Gustabe-en, T. Hoshika, Mrs. S. Yama. The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Peninsular, with the ENGLISH MAIL of the 27th Dec., left Sincapore on Saturday, the 18th Jan., Mr R. B. Beattie at 8 a.m., and may be expected here Mr R. Beck on or about Thursday, the 23rd Jan., Mr J. Bernhard at 7 a.m. This packet brings replies Mr A. Berblinger . Mr W. J. F. Kenny to letters despatched from Hongkong Mr & Mrs S. Bisney Mr W. C. Lacy on the 26th November, and the Miss S. Bisney parcels mails closed in London for Dr G. D. R. Black Mr C. Leege despatch by the all sea route on Mr A. B. Blunn Mr W. Leighton the 18th Dec., and for despatch Miss Borden & maid Dr G Leurink

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overland on the 25th Dec. The Imp. German Mail s.s. Zieten left Mr T. Brayfield Kobe via Nagasaki and Shanghai on Mr H. U. Bridseye Mr & Mrs W. Logan Sunday, the 12th January, p.m., and Mr and Mrs C. B.Mr S. Madar may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 28th January. The Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Sigis Mr J. H. Bulmer

mund left Sydney on Tuesday, the Mr E. Buzard expected here on or about Thursday, Mr A. Carter the 6th February. Steamers Expected.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Sanuki Maru (European Mr W. A. Crake Line) left Singapore for this port on Mr A. H. Crook the 17th January, and is expected Mr J. Cruicksbank here on the 23rd January. The N. Y. K. s.s. Yeterofu Maru (Bombay Line) left Moji for this port on the 17th January, and is expected Mr and Mrs R. Du- Perkins here on the 23rd January.

The Danish s.s. Sam left Kobe on Tues. Mr W. Einstmann Mr and Mrs W. H. Mr W. H. Fan day, the 14th January, p.m., and may Mr C. W. T. Elsworth Potts be expected here on or about Tuesday, Mr Th. Engater the 21st January. The I.-C. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Kumsang left Singapore for this port on the 16th Mr H. G. Fisher-

The P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Numantia sailed from Kobe on the 16th January, and Mr C. B. Franklin is due to arrive here on the 24th Miss L. D. French. Per Kaifong, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the The N. Y. K. s.s. Shinano Maru (Ameri- Mr Denman Fuller .. Mr C. E. Shields can Line) left Kobe for this port via Mr S. J. Faller ... Hr J. Spittles Moji and Shanghai on the 17th Jap., Miss C. D. Gibb and is expected here on the 26th Jan. Mrs W. C. Gibbs The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Changsha left Sydney Miss H. E. Gibbs

on January 11th, at noon, and is due Dr A. Gibson hore on February 4th. The Boston S. S. Co. S.S. Shawmut sailed Mr T. Gordon from Scattle, Wash., on 7th January, Mr O. Gorrell for Japan and China. The Boston S. S. Co.'s s.s. Kumeric Capt. T. Hall salled from Kobe for Moji on 17th Mr E. Hellows

Latest Advices. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India Hon. Mr & Mrs E. A. Mr & Mrs Withoefft arrived at Nagasaki at 2 p.m. on Monday, the 20th January, and left Mr E. Howard Mr J. D. Woods again at 8 p.m. on same day for Mrs C. H. Huffmann Kobe, where she is due to arrive at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, the 21st January. The E. & A. steamer Eastern, from Syd. Mr F. Arnold Dr F. Keyt noy, &c., left Port Darwin on the Mr J. W. Bains

The H. A. L. s.s. Rhenania left Singapore Mr and Mrs A. C.Mr S. R. Toombe for this port on the 19th January, Diss 25th January, A.m. time fixed for departure of the mail. The P. M. S. P. China sailed from Yokohams on the 20th January, and is due Mr Bolden to arrive at this port, via Kobe, Mr. H. B. Buttierre Mr. Kemp Nagasaki, and Manila, on the 29th Mr Ferry January.

Mr Fowler The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Hupeh left Haiphong | Mr G. Gardner on 21st January, and is due here on Mr O. Gierlet 24th January. Por Samsen, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the The P. M. S. S. Co.'s g.e. Mongolia arrived Mr R. Herzog in San Francisco on the 19th January. Mrand Mrs Howett. Mrs Simpson & infant

KING EDWARD BOTCL. on 20th January, and is due here on Dr Bogage Mr and Mrs D. Mon 25th January. – ćagu Eko -The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s Choysang left Mr Harry Bramley Mr and Mrs A. P. Shanghai for this port on the 19th Mr H. F. Campbell January, and may be expected here Mr and Mrs G. H.Mr D. M. Nicholson on or about 23rd January. Corse, Jr. Mr N. C. Passmore Miss Annie Peacock Mr and Mrs Peel and VISITORS AT HOTELS. Mr T. H. Elarth family Mr H. H. Elarth

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Mr F. Van Mangels-Mr F. G. Brown Dr O, Marriott 14th January, at 4 p.m., and may be Mr E. W. Carpenter Mrs R. T. Matheson Mr F. J. Berry, wifeMr W. H. Kelly and child Mr G. C. McIntosh Dr G. W. McKean Captain and Mrs H. | Mr Ch. U. Chow Mr H. Millard Mr P. Nesbitt Mr George Curry Mr G. Os orne Mr and Mrs T. L. Mr Fr. Esrom

Mrs Dobriitska Mr A. W. Polglase Lord & Lady FirenchMr A. B. Powell Mr E A. Pugh Sir & Lady Clifton

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Dr T. Chaki

Mr E. Clark

Mr T. Darton

Mr H. E. Colvin

January, and may be expected here Dr and Mrs F. J.Mr E. Ralphs on or about the 22nd January. Flunc & 2daughters Mr E. H. Ray Fluno & 2 daughters Mr E. H. Ray and son Mr B. L. Frost Rev. A. J. Stevens Mr W. G. Symmons Mr C. B. Taylor Mr J. Ginnell Mrs H. Taylor Mr C. G. Thomson Mr C. H. Tricker Mr T. O. Gray Mr G. W. Tullidge Mr.F. R. Vida Mr L. Weil Mr R. Harding Mr A. Weil Mr J. L. Harrison Mr T. L. Wilkinson

Mr G. G. Wood

Mr P. A. Lapicgue .

Capt. & Mrs Merises

Miss Meyer

Mr Rutherford

Mr Simpson

20th January, for Manila and this Mr W. B. Boyce Mr F. H. Robinson Mr H. A. CartwrightMr D. telfox and may be expected here on or about Mrs Gaertner & childMr A. Winklemann Mr and Mrs Jenkins Mr Kremer

Mr Arthur H. Silver-Mr M. S. Silverston Mr and Mrs Souza Mr D. V. Steavenson 1.t. Comdr. & Mrs E, Capt. B. Lundholm M and Mrs E: L. Mr.J. Marshall Mr T. Wilson Mr J. H. Mody Lieut. Commander S. Yasumura Mrs S. Brymfield Mr Jos, H. Lenng Mr-L. Carovapiez Miss Alice A. Llewil-Mr and Mrs A. S.Mr Victor Man Mr W. F. Cuoning Mr E. Rangeon Mr A. J. H. Nunnink Mr P. F. Van DensonMr E. Ravinet Mrs C. Douglas Mr A. E. Shannon Mr A. Sherman Mr and Mrs HarryMr D. Silva Mr and Mrs A. F. B. Silva-Netto & child Mr L. Greenwald Mr W. S. Sing Mr C. L. Han Mrs N. Steel Mr H. E. Hendy Mr J. D. W. Thomson Mr H. S. Holmes Miss M. E. Vickery Mr R. S. Horsley Mr K. K. Wan

(Mr P. L. Wong) Dr Hough Mr John Kiene PELHAM HOUSE. . Mr Mundey Mr L. Chandler Mr Cousins Mr F. W. Perkunder Mr Karl Polstarff Mr J. G. Dyer Mr G, R. Fearby Mr and Mra John Mr-G. Glover Stewart Mr F. W. Haigh Mr R. Stewart Mr D. Harvey __-Mr J. W. Taylor Miss M. S. Hoy Mr Hugh Thomas Mr J. Hutchings Mr P. Venske. Mr McIntyre Mr E. Welter VESSELS AT THE DOCKS. THE Kowloon. U.S.S. Callao, Neil McCleod, Heroules,

Persia, Huichow, Germania, Haitan,

Amigo, Ulv. Choising, Siberia, Protector.

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F. G. Ftoo, Director. Hongkong Observatory, Jan. 20th, 1908.

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Vessels Advertised as Loading,

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Australian Ports	Rubite (6)	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Jan. 25, at Noon.
Baltimore, New York.	Jeserio (8)	Arnhold Karberg&Co.	January 25.
Cebu & Iloilo	Kaifong (a)	Butterfield & Swire	Jan 23. at 4 n.m.
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London, &c	Arcadia (a)	P. & O. S. N. to	Jan 25, at Noon.
London & Antwarp	Sunda (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co	About Jan. 29.
L'don, A'erp & H'hurg	Flintshire (s)	Shewan, Tomas & Co.	About Feb. 7.
Manila	Yuensang (a)	Jardine, M'son & Co, Lo	Jan. 24, at 4 p.m.
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San Francisco v. Janes	China (a)	Pacific Mail S.S. Co.,	Fob 8 at Noon
San Francisco V. Japan	Manchuria (a)	Pacific Mail S.S. Co.	Rob 15. at Noon
Sp Francisco v. Japan	Nippon Maru (a)	Toyo Kisen Kaisha	Fab. 21. at Noon
Scattle, v. S'hai, Japan	Minuesota (s)	Nippon Yulen Kalaha	April 17.
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Swatow & Shanghai	. Wo-ang (8)	Jardine, M'son&Co, L	Jan. 23, at Noon
Shanghai	. Choyeang (u)	Jardine, M'son & Co, L	Jan. 25, at Noon.
Shanghai	. Kiukiang (8)	Butterfield & Swire	Jan. 23, at 4 p.m
Shanghal	Shaohang (a)	Butterfield & Bwire	. Keh. I. at 4 p.m.
Spanghai	Yochow (B)	Butterfield & Swire	Feb. 6, at 4 p.m.
Choos Diana Otha	. Votanta Branda	P. & O. S. N. Co	"About Jan. 24.
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	a Onsang (a)		
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Vancouver. (B.O.) &c	Empress of Japan (a)	. Canadian P'fic, R. Co	Web 13 at 4 pm
Vancouver. (B.C.). &co	Empress of China (a)	Canadian P'fic R. Co	March 12 at 4 n m
Vancouver. (B.C.). &c	Empress of India (8)	. Canadian Pine R. Co	April 7 at 4 p.m
Yokohama & Kobe	Prinz Sigismund (9)	Melchers & Co	About Feb. 7.

k	S'pore, Penang & C'tta Catherine Apcar (s) D. Sassoon & Co Ld. Jan. 22, at 3 p.m. Tsingtau and Chefoo Cheongahing (s) Jardins, M'son Co Ld Jan. 25, at 4 p.m. Victoria, B.O., Tacoma Kumeric (s) Dodwell & Co., Ld February 8, Victoria, B.C., Tacoma Shawmut (s) Dodwell & Co. Limited February 21. Vancouver, (BC.), &c. Monteagle (s) Canadian P'fic R. Co. Jan. 29, at noon, Vancouver, (B.C.), &c. Empress of Japan (s) Canadian P'fic R. Co. March 12 at 4 p.m. Vancouver, (B.C.), &c. Empress of India (s) Canadian P'fic R. Co. April 7, at 4 p.m. Yokohama & Robe Prinz Sigismund (s) Melchers & Co About Feb. 7.										
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